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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of:

Kahner, et al.

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For: ABATEMENT OF CONTAMINATION  
PRESENT IN STRUCTURES

Examiner: Joyner, Kevin

Group Art Unit: 1744

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 12, 2007, the time for response to which has been extended three months to January 12, 2008, by the request for extension of time in the accompanying petition, kindly enter the following amendments and consider the remarks below in connection with the above-identified patent application.